REMARKS

The indication of claim 23 containing allowable subject matter is noted. To this end, the subject matter of former claim 23 has been combined with claim 1, claim 23 has been cancelled and claim 24 has been amended to depend on claim 1. Hence, all claims are allowable and early issuance of a Notice of Allowance is courteously solicited.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned, Applicant's attorney of record, to facilitate advancement of the present application.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 07-1337 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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